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MILLIONS LOST ON NEW HAVEN RECKLESS AND PROFLIGATE FINANCIAL OPERATIONS EXPOSED

RECORDS BURNED Every Effort Is Being Used To Destroy Evidence of Crooked Administration

(By Associated Press.) Washington, July 13.—The story of the "reckless and profligate" financial operations of the New Haven railroad, one of the most remarkable chapters in the history of American railroad and American finance, was revealed in part today by the interstate commerce commission in a report to the senate of its investigations of that road.

It told of millions used like stage money, of corporations as pawns in a monster game with all the New England transportation as a prize, which led the New Haven in the ten years just passed from the height of prosperity to the point where a dividend has been passed, where a dissolution suit is threatening and where criminal indictments of many of the directors who figured in deals are at least a possibility.

Millions Lost. Hampered by unwilling witnesses, by burned books and by all the mazes which lawyers in vention to cover the trail, the commission estimated that in the progress toward monopolization of New England transportation, the New Haven stockholders have lost between \$65,000,000 and \$90,000,000, but little of which they may recover. In return, the report said, they have on their hands properties which pay no dividends, which eat into the earnings of the parent road and which will be a burden on its capacity for many years to come.

Of the present directing head, Chairman Howard Elliott and Walker D. Hines, special counsel, the report says: "They have co-operated with the commission and rendered it substantial assistance throughout this investigation."

The New Haven combination, reared by Charles L. Mellon, and approved by the late J. Pierpont Morgan and William Rockefeller, the commission finds to be clearly in violation of the Sherman anti-trust act and a monopoly in practical control of the transportation of five states.

The commission's report is unusual as regards the manner in which directors of the New Haven are scored. It speaks of criminal maladministration and negligence, asserts with positiveness that the directors knew they were perfecting an illegal combination and says that the dream of a transportation monopoly was unsound and mischievous.

The New Haven, the commission says employed dummy directors, manipulated accounts, used questionable methods in increasing its own stock, paid the dividends of subsidiaries to make a showing, and used many other devices to deceive stockholders and the public. It dipped into politics, was a factor in "invisible government," made large campaign contributions to the two dominant political parties, bought officials and tried to distort public opinion. All this it did, the commission says, "to carry out a scheme of private transportation monopoly imperial in its scope."

Directors Liable. "If these directors who were faithless to their stewardship were held responsible for their failure to do those things they should have done, the reasons to directors who do not direct would be very salutary," says the report. Most of the directors of the New Haven accepted their responsibility lightly. They failed to realize that their names gave confidence to the public and that their connection with the corporation led the public to invest. When these directors were negligent and serious losses resulted therefrom, they were guilty of grave dereliction of duty and a breach of trust that was morally wrong and criminal in its fruits.

Law Violated. Of all the millions lost to New Haven stockholders, the commission estimates that possibly \$8,000,000 may be recovered by proper action. Evidence in its possession tending to show violations of the laws of New York, Massachusetts and Rhode Island, has been turned over to the proper executives in these states.

The department of justice has been furnished with a complete record of the testimony secured by the commission, but there is no federal statute under which the government can aid the stockholders in recovering any of their losses.

ULSTER TROUBLE WAS AVERTED

Commemoration of the Battle of Bayne, Passed With Little Disorder

(By Associated Press.) London, July 13.—The recognition of the danger inherent in the existence of two armed volunteer bodies seems to have imbued Irishmen with a sense of added responsibility, for the battle of the Boyne was commemorated today in Ireland with tremendous enthusiasm, but with less disorder than in previous years.

Following the custom, a great procession marched from Belfast to Drumberg, where Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster unionist leader, made his now familiar speech defying the government either to exclude Ulster from home rule or come out and fight.

BOUGHT PISTOL TO KILL BROTHER

Love of Brothers' Wife Is the Cause So States Arch Johnson

(By Associated Press.) Raleigh, N. C., July 13.—Arch Johnson, brother of Joseph Johnson, who this wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Early Johnson, by her own confession, killed Saturday night, July 4, today, in the Martin county jail, according to the prison authorities, admitted that he bought the pistol with which his brother was slain and gave it to Mrs. Johnson, knowing what use she was going to make of it. In the course of his statement, Johnson, who is 21 years of age, is reported to have said: "I loved my brother but I loved his wife more and it was because of that fact that I allowed myself to get in this scrape."

Arch Johnson will be given a preliminary hearing tomorrow.

UP TO BLEASE SAYS A. W. JONES

Arrangements Made To Carry The State Through Financial Needs

(Special to The Intelligencer.) Columbia, July 13.—"We have made arrangements to borrow \$250,000 at 3 1/2 per cent," said Comptroller General Jones today discussing the meeting of the state financial board. He said that the terms had been obtained by J. Pope Matthews, cashier of the Palmetto National Bank.

"It is now up to the governor to sign the notes. We have done our part," said Mr. Jones.

S. T. Carter, state treasurer, is the third member of the board.

This matter came up last year and caused a lot of stir. The state is again without money to meet current expenses and the legislature made no special provision for borrowing the money but it is said the plan announced by the comptroller general will fit the needs.

THE MASONS HELD SPECIAL SESSION

Burning Bush Chapter Attended To Eight Delegates and Finished Up With a Supper

An interesting fraternal event in Anderson yesterday was the special convocation of Burning Bush Chapter of the A. F. M., held in this city yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Eight candidates appeared and this part of the afternoon's exercises required some time. The meeting came to a close shortly after 7 o'clock with the serving of an informal supper.

QUITE A SUCCESS.

The inaugurating of the gas-electric line on the Blue Ridge road has proved a success during the first two days. The number of passengers hauled Sunday on these trains was 299.

HEIRLESS TO MANY MILLION IS DROWNED

Philadelphia, July 13.—Two year old Nancy Carpenter, heirless to millions and niece of United States Senator Henry A. DuPont, of Delaware, was drowned today in a shallow pool on the estate here of her uncle, Pierre S. DuPont. The child was the daughter of R. O. M. Carpenter, a banker of Wilmington, Del.

NEGRO WOMAN WAS LYNCHED

KILLED A WHITE CHILD NEAR ELLOREE, ORANGE-BURG COUNTY

CONFESSED DEED No Motive Is Known Save That Woman Hated the Parents of the Child

(By Associated Press.) Orangeburg, S. C., July 13.—Rose Carson, a negro, Sunday was taken from the jail at Elloree, near here, and lynched by a mob. She is said to have confessed to killing the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Bell, Saturday. The child was beaten to death with a stick of wood.

The press was taken to the scene of the crime by the mob and hung to a tree. Afterwards the body was riddled with bullets. The alleged confession was made just previous to the hanging.

Searching parties found the body of the child early Sunday after an all night hunt, partly hidden beneath a log and covered with wounds. The child disappeared late Saturday while she was going to a field to drive some cows.

Suspicion was directed toward the negro on account of recent trouble with the child's family. With her sister she was arrested. As soon as the arrests became generally known a mob was formed, marched to the jail, battered in the door and took possession of the two women. The sister of the accused woman was later released when she is said to have admitted that her sister killed the child.

About thirty negroes watched the lynching but offered no resistance.

POPULAR MAN PASSED AWAY

S. Joe McCully Answered Last Summons Sunday Afternoon In This City

S. Joe McCully, after an illness of several months, died Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Carrie McCully, on Institute Hill, in this city.

The deceased was a son of Newton Alexander McCully, who died some years ago, and his wife, Mrs. Carry Fretwell McCully. He was a nephew of Mr. A. G. Fretwell of Fair Play, in this county. He was a brother of Mrs. Curry McC Patrick and of N. A. McCully, an officer of the navy. He was a kinsman of the McCullys, Keeses and Humphries of Anderson; the Wagners and Bremers of Charleston.

He was 38 years old at the time of his death but he was one of the boys that never grew up; he was always "Joe McCully"; genial, big-hearted, generous and a true friend.

His consideration for others was never better shown than during his long tedious illness. Often he would lie and suffer pain rather than disturb his nurse to relieve him and with patient fortitude and uncomplaining, he faced the end.

For several years he had been in the employ of the Eitewan Fertilizer Company in Charleston, S. C., and it was perhaps the severe task of his work in unhealthful surroundings that finally broke down his superb constitution and physique and made him an easy victim of the disease that killed him.

For who does not remember him as big, handsome Joe McCully? His friends throughout the state will be saddened to know of his death.

The funeral was held yesterday at Silver Brook cemetery.

THE "GOODYEAR" WON

St. Louis, July 13.—The balloon "Goodyear," piloted by R. A. D. Preston, of Akron, Ohio, won the national elimination race to determine the third American entrant in the international race for the James Gordon Bennett cup, which will start from Kansas City in October.

This was determined last today when a message from E. S. Cole, pilot of "San Francisco" 1913, reported that his balloon had landed Sunday morning 11 miles southwest of McLeanboro, Ill.

The "Goodyear" which landed near Constance, Ky., made approximately 300 miles, nearly twice the distance made by its nearest competitor. It also won the endurance record, 24 hours, 45 minutes. The official distance will be computed by the aero club of America.

Besides Preston the other two American entrants in the international race will be P. H. Unson, of Akron, Ohio, who won the international race of 1913, and by that victory brought the 1914 international race to the United States, and H. E. Honeywell, who won second place in the last international race.

OFFER REWARD FOR BODIES

FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR RETURN DEAD OR ALIVE

THE TWO SISTERS Wealthy Mother Willing To Pay For Information As To Whereabouts of Missing Women

(By Associated Press.) Atlanta, July 13.—Four hundred dollars reward for the finding of Mrs. Eloise Nelms Dennis and Miss Beatrice Nelms, either dead or alive, was offered here today by Mrs. John W. Nelms, the wealthy mother of the missing women. It was announced that half the sum would be paid for the return of either woman, whose mysterious disappearance while on a business and pleasure trip to Texas has aroused widespread interest.

GOLDEN JUBILEE OF B. P. O. E. OPENS

Raymond Benjamin, Associate Attorney General Of California Next Grand Exalted Ruler

(By Associated Press.) Denver, Cal., July 13.—The Golden Jubilee of the Grand Lodge of Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and the 28th annual national reunion of the order began formally tonight with exercises at the municipal auditorium.

No opposition to the election of Raymond Benjamin, associate attorney general of California, to succeed Grand Exalted Ruler Edward Leach, of New York, developed today.



RAYMOND BENJAMIN
Sentiment favoring the selection of Seattle was the reunion city in 1915 apparently has become general. Patrick H. Shields, Clarksburg, W. Va., is seeking re-election.

SERIOUS CHARGE.

Fifty Year Old Man Accused of Kidnapping Twelve Year Old Girl.
(By Associated Press.) Raleigh, N. C., July 13.—I. M. Petty, aged 60 years, was arrested this afternoon in Lexington on the charge of kidnaping the 12 year old daughter of W. H. Holder, of Harnett county. He and the girl went to Lexington traveling in a buggy. The girl disappeared over a week ago and when last seen was with Petty, who, according to the Lexington authorities, says he took the girl away from her father because the latter was endeavoring to teach her to lead an impure life. Petty and the girl are being held at Lexington for the Harnett authorities.

ENTIRE FAMILY KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Fredericksburg, Va., July 12.—Lightning killed a family of five in Orange county Saturday, according to news reaching here today. The victims were Rosa Moore, a farmer; his wife and their three children. The entire family was buried today in the Methodist Cemetery at Parkers.

The Moores were picking berries on their farm near Locust Grove. When the storm arose they hurried beneath a big tree, and a moment later it was demolished by a bolt of lightning. Their bodies were not found until neighbors, alarmed over their absence, began a search.

SEC. DANIELS ON DIPLOMACY

TELLS OF THE PART TAKEN BY THE U. S. NAVY IN BIG AFFAIR

NO INDIRECTNESS The Policy of the Navy Is To Deal With Diplomatic Questions Without Evasion

(By Associated Press.) New Port, R. I., July 13.—How the nation's foreign policy often hangs upon the action and discretion of a naval officer commanding a warship in a far-away port, was discussed by Secretary Daniels here today at the opening of the Naval War College session. He pictured the duties of the naval officer in the role of diplomat, recalled incidents in which commanders of American war ships in foreign ports had opened new chapters in American history, and urged officers at the College and Marine officers to train themselves in international law and the languages in preparation for such emergencies.

"The Navy, in the technical sense," said the Secretary, "must leave to the Department of State the settlement of international policies, and properly so. But in the practical operations of peace affecting other nations, the action of the youngest naval officer commanding the smallest vessel in a foreign port might determine the action of our government. Independent of the policies which the trained diplomats might have planned, in many quiet ports, the first American seen is an officer of the Navy. In surveying, in exploration, in protection of Americans, but is often called to places where no consul or other government official has gone. To those people he incarnates the American government. His Uncle Sam's department, his spirit, his ideals as seen in his dealings, make the first and often only, impressions those people have of our country and its attitude toward them. If he be untrained as to the requirements of international law, what consequences of evil may flow from his ignorance. If he lack tact and a sense of courtesy, how he may block the path of his country to serve the people to whom he is sent and prevent the opening of doors through which his countrymen might enter to promote commerce and foggies of friendliness and amity."

There had been no secretary of state, Mr. Daniels said, who had availed himself more of the service of the naval officer as a diplomat, "who has shown confidence in his ability, his judgment and his absolute trustworthiness than had Secretary Bryan."

Diplomatic Situations
He recalled the demand made for a salute to the Stars and Stripes by Admiral Mayo at Tampico as an example of how the action of a naval officer in a foreign country precipitated "an issue not contemplated in diplomatic channels, and irrevocably committed his government to a policy of action in support of his demand." Perry's achievement in the opening of Japan to commerce, Dewey's brilliant victory and his administration in Philippine waters, and finally Rear Admiral Fletcher's occupation of Vera Cruz, were pointed to by the Secretary as conspicuous instances in which the double service required of the American naval officer abroad.

Ambassador Jusserand of France and James Bryce, former British ambassador to the United States were lauded by the speaker as "modern diplomats" who, he said, had "replaced indirectness and evasion with directness and sincerity."

"By education, by training and by character," Mr. Daniels continued, "the naval officer is not fitted for a diplomatic calling for dissembling, for saying 'yes' and meaning 'perhaps' or for double dealing. If he is to serve his country abroad for its 'good' it must be a service that is marked by frankness and sincerity, and it is that sort of service which made their diplomacy of Perry and Dewey as honorable and useful as the eminence as sailors, and which has given them a permanent place in the affections of their countrymen. Certainly we may regard Perry as the greatest diplomat which the American navy has ever furnished to exhibit most of its representatives have never failed to exhibit the high gifts of diplomacy when called upon to face the situation which required the exercise of the art."

"There is very recent proof that Perry was a true prophet when he foresaw friendship between the United States and Japan. In the present Mexican trouble the Japanese have been scrupulous to prevent the shipment of arms by Japan manufacturers."

Temptation of Imperialism.
If all American diplomacy in the Spanish-American war had been modeled after that of Perry's, the Secretary declared "the United States might not have yielded to the temptation of imperialism. If our government had followed closely the diplomatic pact set by another great commodore of the United States navy

MANY SEEKING NEW UNIVERSITY

Southern Methodist Church Will Have Great Educational Institution

(By Associated Press.) Atlanta, July 13.—Consideration of the advantages offered of different southern cities for the proposed new university of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, will be begun here tomorrow by the sub-committee of the educational commission of the general conference in the matter is expected to be made Wednesday at a meeting of the full commission.

Various Methodist Episcopal Colleges, in the south, including Emory College at Oxford, Ga., and Trinity College at Durham, N. C., have indicated their willingness to be expanded into a university. It was reported tonight, however, that Trinity would withdraw its offer. In addition to the college centers many cities, including Atlanta and Birmingham, have prepared to make large offers of land and endowment if they are selected.

The sub-committee, which will first consider the invitations, consists of Bishop W. A. Candler, of Atlanta, chairman; Bishop J. M. McCoy, of Birmingham; Dr. Plato T. Durham, of Charlotte, N. C.; Dr. A. J. Lamar, of Nashville; and W. G. M. Thomas, of Chattanooga.

It was decided at the recent general conference of the church at Oklahoma City to establish a new university on account of the controversy between the general conference and the board of trustees of Vanderbilt University at Nashville over control of the latter institution.

BAILEY MURDER BEFORE THE JURY

Investigation Will Be Thorough, Mrs. Carman Will Testify In Own Behalf

(By Associated Press.) Freeport, N. Y., July 13.—The grand jury will begin tomorrow its investigation into the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey who was mysteriously shot in the office of Dr. Edwin Carman the night of June 30. Dr. Carman's wife is now in the Minerva jail, charged with the crime. The physician will be the first witness.

Miss Carrie McCuen has resumed her duties in the office of the clerk of court, after spending a week's vacation with friends and relatives at Simpsonville.

who himself followed the diplomacy of Perry and squared his every action with the basic doctrines of our republic, we would not have strayed so far afield. We would at least have been consistent in our diplomacy; we would not have laid down one rule for Cuba and another for the Philippines."

Recalling various incidents in which American officers had had a part in the writing of international history, Secretary Daniels spoke of summary action taken by Rear Admiral Bonham ten years ago during revolutionary disturbances at Rio Janiero when landing of cargoes from the United States was long delayed. He demanded that the cargo be unloaded, and punctuated the demand with a six-pound shell. The Admiral gained his point.

Secretary Daniels said he would like to draw a picture of the naval officer "as the man before the gun, not the captain on the bridge, giving signals to fire, but the captain, who before the anchor has touched the harbor's bottom has stepped into his launch and gone ashore to avert by his sound judgment, by his tact, by his judgment by his courtesy and diplomatic manner, by his thought knowledge of international law and custom, the necessity for using guns at all, and to whom the country is eternally indebted for the peaceful ending of the crisis which rendered his presence necessary in the first place."

"When you stop to think of it" said the Secretary, "no representative of our government, official or unofficial, can command such respect or can impress another country so deeply with the power of his Government as the captain of a warship lying in the harbor with its decks cleared, perhaps for action, and its ominous 12-inch guns trained on the town. Believe me, gentlemen, that man is going to be seriously listened to by every official within range of the ships' armament."

INVESTIGATION ORDERED

Havana, July 13.—The Cuban secretary of justice today ordered Attorney General Hector de Saverda to go to the Isle of Pines to investigate the circumstances of the death of Duncan Campbell, an American, who was fatally stabbed on July 11 by Victor Perez after a quarrel.

GETTING READY FOR TROUBLE

SEVEN HUNDRED MARINES ORDERED TO CUBA AT ONCE

SITUATION GRAVE Revolution Torn, Haiti and Santo Domingo Require Outside Interference

(By Associated Press.) Washington, July 13.—Seven hundred marines today were ordered assembled at Guantanamo, Cuba, to be held in readiness for service in revolution torn Haiti and Santo Domingo. The navy department acted at the request of Secretary Bryan, who asked that the fleet be prepared to deal with any emergency that might arise on the turbulent island. The marines will be gathered from those now on duty in Mexican waters, and from the marine barracks in Philadelphia.

At Guantanamo the force will be only a day's sail from the north coast of Haiti and San Domingo and their proximity is expected to impress upon the revolutionary leaders the determination of the American government to terminate their activities by forcible means unless they listen to the warnings already given. The situation in San Domingo has come to be regarded as almost hopeless of a cure from within, while in Haiti conditions are little better.

Acting Secretary Roosevelt announced today's action in the following statement:

"Numerous appeals from time to time have been made for the protection of American life and property on the island of Hayti, which has been jeopardized by the various bands of revolutionist operating both in Hayti and San Domingo. Dispatches from there indicating that these conditions will probably continue for some time, it has been decided to place a small force of marines, where they will be available in case of any emergency should arise which would make it advisable for them to be on hand for the protection of life and property."

The acting secretary of the navy, at the request of the state department, has accordingly directed that the United States ship Hancock proceed from Vera Cruz to Guantanamo and there land about 200 marines, 110 of them having been taken from Vera Cruz and 185 from a special service squadron in Mexican waters, mainly from the New York and Texas.

"After landing the marines, the Hancock will proceed to Hampton Roads to take aboard there 400 additional marines and return with them to Guantanamo.

"In addition to the above, the gun boat Sacramento has been ordered from Puerto Mexico, to Guantanamo. This action is taken merely as a precaution and it is hoped that no conditions will arise that will require services of this force."

The navy air force, has in Hayti and Dominican waters two battleships Connecticut and South Carolina, and the cruisers Marietta, Castine and Machias.

ANDERSON LOST BELOVED WOMAN

Mrs. W. C. Webb Died Sunday Morning at 7 O'clock After An Illness of Several Years

While it has been known that Mrs. C. W. Webb was very sick and friends of hers have been fearing that the announcement would come at any minute, still the community could hardly bring itself to realize that she was dead when that sad news was flashed over the city Sunday morning. The end came at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Webb became ill about six years ago and she had been suffering almost continually since that time. However, she bore her trials with a christian fortitude and this was an example to all around her.

Before her marriage Mrs. Webb was Miss Hattie Durant of Sumter, her husband being Samuel Earle. To them three children were born, these being, Durant Earle, Mrs. Edna Earle Trowbridge, and Mrs. Samuel Earle Mayes.

Wilkes and Lucius Webb, two of her sons, are in the canal zone, and it was impossible to communicate with them before the end came. Messrs. Nardin, and Charles Jr., and Miss Isabel Webb were all in the city when their mother breathed her last.

The interment took place yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock in Silver Brook cemetery, the funeral services being held at Grace Episcopal church. The following gentlemen acted as pall bearers: Honorary: Messrs. E. A. Bell, T. C. Walton, J. A. Brock, J. E. Breazlee. Active pallbearers, W. C. Euriss, Dr. W. H. Nardin, M. M. Mattison, Oscar Browne, J. L. Sherard, and T. R. Horton.